Docket No.: 053673-0027 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Miyuki SEKINE, et al. : Confirmation Number: 1908

Application No.: 10/561,046 : Group Art Unit: 1796

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For: SHAMPOO OR BODY DETERGENT COMPOSITION

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2009, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire August 4, 2009, a three-month extension of time up to and including November 4, 2009 being filed concurrently herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks and amendments.